

Freshman Survey

This survey is to gather your comments about your current high school experiences. As a current freshman at this high school, please answer the following survey items honestly and as accurately as possible. The results from this survey will be used by school faculty and staff to direct and focus future school improvement actions.

Please circle your response that reflects how much you agree with statements about your high school experiences.

1. Did you feel that you had the <u>READING</u> knowledge and skills that you needed to be successful in college prep-level courses at your high school?	Not at all prepared	Somewhat prepared	Very well prepared	I don't know
2. Did you feel that you had the <u>WRITING</u> knowledge and skills that you needed to be successful in college prep-level courses at your high school?	Not at all prepared	Somewhat prepared	Very well prepared	I don't know
3. Did you feel that you had the <u>MATHEMATICS</u> knowledge and skills that you needed to be successful in college prep-level courses at your high school?	Not at all prepared	Somewhat prepared	Very well prepared	I don't know
4. Did you feel that you had the <u>SCIENCE</u> knowledge and skills that you needed to be successful in college prep-level courses at your high school?	Not at all prepared	Somewhat prepared	Very well prepared	I don't know
5. Do you feel that your middle/junior high school prepared you for classes that you are in at the high school?	Not at all prepared	Somewhat prepared	Very well prepared	I don't know
6. Do you feel that your current high school courses are exciting and challenging?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
7. How often do your high school courses repeat things that you have already learned?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often

8. How often do your teachers communicate the amount and quality of work needed to earn an “A” or “B”?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
9. How often do teachers encourage you to do your best on assignments?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
10. How many books have you had to read outside of class?	0-4 Books	5-9 Books	10-15 Books	16 or More Books
11. How often are you able to get extra help from your teachers to better understand difficult concepts?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
12. How often has a teacher or counselor talked to you about planning for a career or further education?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
13. Do you think your high school studies will prepare you for your future career and future studies?	Not at all prepared	Somewhat prepared	Very well prepared	I don’t know
14. How often do you meet with an adult mentor or advisor to discuss course choices for high school?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
15. How often does a teacher or counselor talk to your class about study habits and being organized?	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often